

THE CENTRAL RECORD

FOURTEENTH YEAR.

LANCASTER, KY., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22 1903.

JUNE 29

HEADQUARTERS

— FOR —

Useful Xmas Presents

For the Men

Razors, in stag, bone and fancy handles. Pocket knives with pearl handles, genuine stag, ebony and bone handles. Every knife and razor guaranteed. Shot guns, rifles and fishing poles, foot warmers for buggies, harness, saddles, lap robes, horse blankets, bridles, good buggy whips, spurs and dog collars. Saws, hatchets and tools of all kinds.

For the Women

Rotchester, nickle and silver ware, chafing dishes, serving dishes, coffee pots, cream pitchers, sugar bowls, water pitchers, waiters, mugs napkin rings, butter dishes, crumb trays, molasses stands, ladles, card trays, salt and pepper boxes, tea kettles, Mrs. Potts' sad irons in sets, door bells, Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines, electric ranges, coal vases, brass nickle-plated and berlin black fire sets. Large line of tea and table spoons, table cutlery, silver-plated knives and forks, celluloid handles ebony, bone, rubber, etc. Carving sets of the latest patterns, scissors of all kind and the best line ever brought to Lancaster. We guarantee the Turkey roasters, cake moulds, cake boxes and 3-piece water sets.

For the Children

Skates, shot guns, rifles, toy wagons of several sizes, knives, fishing poles, reels, lines, etc. Nut picks and nut crackers, toy lanterns, steel traps, dinner sets, boys and girls saddles, bridles and riding whips.

Cabinet Mantles and Air-tight Heating Stoves in Handsome Patterns

Buggies, Surries, Roadwagons and Runabouts.

OUR PRICES ARE LOWEST.

J. R. HASELDEN

--Of Local Interest--

Ahead of Time.

This issue of The Record is sent to its readers on Tuesday, instead of Friday this week. This is done for several reasons. The Conn Bros., our hustling machinists have the contract to put a entire set of new dies in the engine boiler, our presses must be overhauled, books straightened out, and a thousand and one other matters attended to. All our help will enjoy Friday and Saturday as they see proper, but the editor will be in as usual ready to wait upon anyone having business with us.

Milk Maids' Convention, Dec. 29th.

C W B M Day will be observed the first Sunday in Jan. 10:45 a. m.

Everybody is invited to the Xmas tree at Presbyterian church, Thursday evening, at 6:30 o'clock.

The Sunday school of the Christian church will have a Xmas tree for the children on Thursday at 2 p. m.

Before making your Christmas purchases, consult our advertising columns. What is worth having is worth advertising, and vice versa.

Eld F M Tindler, will leave the 11th of January for Somerset, Ky., to conduct a series of meetings. O P McMahon will fill his pulpit on Sunday of his absence.

When in Cincinnati, don't forget to stop at the Palace Hotel. It is located at Sixth and Vine, one block above Fountain Square, and in the heart of the business portion of the city. The rates are reasonable and the fare and accommodations unsurpassed.

Edgar Graham, special agent for the Aetna Life Insurance Co., was here this week and paid the \$2,000 policy on the life of J L Huffman, who had paid but one premium. Judge M D Hughes is the local agent, and the company is one of the best in the business.

Eason Gets Damages.

Danville Advocate:—Mr J T Eason, of this city, who had his leg crushed in a railroad wreck about a year ago near Burnside, has compromised the case with the C. N O & T P Railroad for \$3,500, the company agreeing to pay all doctor bills.

An Apology.

We wish to apologize to our readers for the miserable quality of paper the last few issues of The Record have been printed upon. It was bought from what was supposed to be a straight house, and we paid the usual price for it, but we were "soaked" good and strong. A new lot has been ordered, and the next issue will be printed on strictly first-class material.

Goes to Danville.

John F Lear, who has been clerking for H T Logan, has accepted a flattering offer from Maj. E W Lillard, the Danville druggist, and will leave in a few days to take charge of the prescription counter in the latter's big store. Mr Lear is one of Garrard county's most popular young men, enjoying the respect and high esteem of the people generally. While we regret to lose him from our city, yet The Record rejoices that he has secured a more lucrative position. Mr and Mrs Lear will board in Danville.

Tim is All Right.

The following from the pen of Editor Tim Needham, of the Williams-town Courier, has the right ring to it: "The mid-winter meeting of the Kentucky Press Association, held at the Galt House in Louisville, last Friday was both pleasant and profitable to the thirty-five or forty members who were privileged to be present. We were there, and are glad of it, and hope to be with the boys again, at the May meeting, and go with the party to the World's Fair for 'Kentucky Day.'"

Annual Week of Prayer.

In accordance with the custom of the Evangelical churches, the first week of January will be observed as a Week of Prayer in the Lancaster churches. The first service will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday evening, Jan. 3rd, 7 o'clock. Rev C M Chumbley, leader. Monday evening the services will be held at the Christian church, Dr F H Pearce, leader. Tuesday evening at Presbyterian church, Elder F M Tindler, leader. These services will be Evangelistic in nature. Announcement for future services of the week will be made at these meetings.

Milk Maids' Convention.

The Ladies Aid Society has arranged to give the entertainment, "Milk Maids' Convention" at the court house Tuesday evening, Dec. 29th. About twenty-five of Lancaster's prettiest young ladies will take part, and an evening of fun is promised. There will be good music, pretty drills and new songs. The price of admission has been fixed at 25cts, but it is best to secure reserved seat (35cts) which are now on sale at McRoberts' drug store, and as a big crowd will be there. Children under 12 years, will be charged 15cts. Remember, this is for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society, so go and help them out.

Frank Pumphrey is expected home to spend Christmas with his parents.

Held Over.

Interior Journal:—James Kennedy, who killed Will Holmes in the East End some two weeks ago, had his examining trial Tuesday and was held over till circuit court in \$2,000. His brother, Ben Kennedy, charged with being an accessory, was held in \$1,000. Both gave bond.

Trustee of Jury Fund.

Mr F Saufley Hughes has been notified of his re appointment as trustee of the jury fund in Garrard county. Mr Hughes has held this office during Judge Saufley's term, and his work has been done to the entire satisfaction of all concerned.

Big Show Tonight.

The "Africana" Minstrels will give a good show at the court house tonight. The boys have been working hard, and have a tip-top show, in every respect. They have good dancers, good jokes, a splendid banjo player, new songs, and altogether a show which is sure to please you. Many seats have been sold, and we would advise that you go to Stormes store and reserve seats.

Rothwell Appointed.

Mr J M Rothwell was notified Thursday night of his selection by Judge W C Bell as Master Commissioner for Garrard county during the latter's term of office. Mr Rothwell will be sworn in and assume the duties of the office at first term of circuit court. He is a capable young man and will make a No. 1 official. Reed S. Nichols was appointed commissioner in Boyle, Lee, Orrey in Mercer and Geo Saufley, son of Judge Saufley, in Lincoln.

Business Change.

Mr J C Robinson has purchased a half interest in the large hardware, buggy and tin shop business of Mr J R Haselden, and will begin business Jan 1. Mr Robinson was in the hardware business in Lancaster for many years and there is no detail which he does not understand. Mr Haselden has an immense stock, and the new firm will make a very strong one. Mr Haselden is one of the hardest-working business men in town, and has built up a fine business and won the confidence and esteem of the public.

In Memory of J. S. Underwood.

J. S. Underwood was born Aug. 22, 1840, in Lincoln county, and died Nov. 28, 1903 in this city, where he has resided most of his life, until four years ago, when he moved to Parksville. He was married to Lina Bourne, Aug. 22, 1861. Of this union, several children were born, most of whom, together with his wife survive him. He united with the Methodist church in 1895, having, up to that time, lived an honest upright life, but, becoming dissatisfied and longing to do something for his Saviour, he gave his heart to God, and through trials severe with a heart brave and true, he patiently and faithfully toiled on for his family, his church and for Christ until the swift-winged messenger of peace bade him enter the haven of rest. In his quiet, peaceful journey through life his motto was "Owe no man anything." We have lost a kind father, his community a kind neighbor.

Early hath the spoiler found thee
Father of our loves
Evermore may turl the lightly,
And, with future showers,
O'er thy slumbers fresh and lightly
Blow the summer flowers
Peace be with thee, O, our father
In the spirit land,
Valiantly look we for another
In thy place to stand.

FANNIE ARCHER.

Additional Personals.

Mr Charley Zimmer, of Cincinnati, is at home for the holidays.

Rev Jones, of Georgetown, preached Sunday at the Baptist church.

Mr Charles Frisbie has accepted a position in H T Logan's store.

Miss Pearl Bettis, of Lexington, is visiting her mother, Mrs Ellie Bettis.

Mrs Sam Haselden is in Nicholasville visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Dun can.

Miss Lora Minor, who is attending school at Lexington, is at home for a week's vacation.

Miss Eliza Anderson has returned to Maysville after a visit to Mrs H C Jennings and other relatives.

Miss Van Greenleaf, of Richmond, will spend several days with Miss Louise Kanfman during Christmas.

Miss Mary Haggard, of Winchester, is expected Saturday for a visit to Miss Lena Rigney during the holidays.

Joe Burnside, Harry Anderson and Marshal Denny, Business College boys, of Louisville, are at home for Christmas.

Mr and Mrs J S Bowman, of Flemingsburg, are expected for a visit to her parents, Mr and Mrs William Anderson.

Miss Bettie West entertained her club Friday evening. Elegant refreshments were served and the evening one of great pleasure to her guests.

Lieut. Robert Kennedy, of Columbus, Ohio, and Dick Kennedy, of Lexington, are expected to spend the holidays with their sister, Mrs Banks Hudson.

Madames Hattie Tandkeraley and Vesta Jordan and children, of Hamilton, Ohio, will spend the holidays with their parents, Mr and Mrs J W Pumphrey.

COST SALE

Suits and Overcoats AT MANUFACTURERS COST

In order to clean up my Fall and Winter stock of Suits and Overcoats, I will begin

Saturday, Dec. 12

and sell my entire stock of Men's Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats at MANUFACTURER'S COST

For Cash Only

If goods are to be CHARGED, we will HAVE TO HAVE THE REGULAR PRICES.

This is no fake sale, but a genuine cost sale. Come early and get first choice. In addition to our immense stock of Clothing we can show you the largest and best selected line of SHOES, HATS, FURNISHING GOODS ever shown in Lancaster, at reasonable prices.

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Notions, Shoes
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and everything to be found in

Up-to-date Dry Goods House

We have a few

ELEGANT CLOAKS

left which will be sold at low prices.

We have in stock a large assortment of designs in wood ready for burning.

Joseph Mercantile Co

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CENTRAL RECORD.

LOUIS LANDRAM.

Entered at the Post Office in Lancaster, Ky., as Second-Class Mail Matter.

Lancaster, Ky., December 22, 1903.

Three more days until Christmas, the time for gift-giving and merry-making with a great majority of the people. Some will take up the time with a visit to friends, the city chap will visit his country cousin, while Reuben will go to the city and see the sights. Some will go hunting, some will get drunk and many will be forced to remain at their usual daily toll. Notwithstanding all this commotion and hustling around, we presume not one in every fifty will stop to consider why the holidays were set apart or what it is they are supposed to be celebrating. Very few, sad to say, will stop to ponder over the sweet story of the babe in the manger, or even lift their eyes heavenward to breathe a short prayer of thanksgiving for the sending of the Blessed Master to save a lost and ruined world. In this day and time it is push and pull for the almighty dollar, and were it not that the law required business houses to close on the Sabbath, even that holy day would soon pass as un-noticed by the business world as do Thanksgiving and Christmas days. As it is the honorable newspaper's first duty to uphold Christianity and right living, The Record takes this occasion to remind its readers of the great event to be celebrated, and call attention to the fact that as man's first duty is to his God, he may begin to make preparations to celebrate the Day of the Nativity in proper manner, lay aside his business and ponder over what is of greatest import to him—that of obedience to his Master, and instead of stopping with feasting and merry-making, minister to the poor, cheer up the

down-hearted and endeavor to help some erring brother back into the straight and narrow road from which he has wandered. If you are a Christian, and an exception to the careless class above referred to, renew your determination to do yet more during the approaching year for your Master. The Record extends to its readers best wishes for their good health and prosperity, and is very thankful, indeed, for favors during the past year. We have made mistakes, and many of them, but we trust you will consider the immense task and limited help we have, and forgive anything said or done amiss. We will strive even harder during the next year to send you a good, clean paper, and in doing so, we ask your hearty co-operation. So here's a Merry Christmas and a joyous, prosperous New Year to you all.

Yesterday, we heard one of our older citizens say, "Well, my boy used to never miss coming to see us Christmas, but he has fallen out of the habit, so I suppose he will fall this time. It's pretty hard on we old people to miss our children at this time, but I guess they know best." A tear trickled down the old gentleman's cheek, and he showed plainly that he considered he and his faithful old wife about forgotten. Young men leave their old town and secure employment in the city, they soon become infatuated with the rapid pace of city life and the old home grows too small for them. We sometimes see fellows come back to Lancaster who wear an air that would disgust a pretrified man. They have forgotten the many times they have crossed the old Public Square wearing a gingham waist, cotton breeches, one gallus and a sore toe. They have forgotten the frequent trips they have made "across town" bringing up the rear of the old brindle cow. They are men now, and the "Public Square" which once looked to them like Madison Square would now appear has little interest to them.

They have learned to shift for themselves and they are not looking to "the old man" for Christmas money, as was the case a few years ago. Lancaster is in exactly the same place it was then, boys, but those who honored her as citizens are very scarce, and if you have not been here for several years, you will notice the change, and notice it greatly. So come home this week, come spend a day or so in the old town you once loved so well, see the few remaining people who helped make Lancaster a town, and The Record is quite sure you will feel better by having done so. Lay aside your cares for the time and come to see the friends of your boyhood days. If your absence from business makes trouble, accept it gladly. If it is an expense, save somewhere else. If for any reason it is annoyance, don't be selfish. Don't let the old folks and you relatives and old friends know that anything in this world can even temporarily replace them in your thoughts.

While in Louisville the other day, we had the pleasure of visiting a display of the work made by the Louisville newspaper artists. Some of this was on the high order, that is, it was done in colors, while most of the rest consisted of comic drawings. The cartoon man furnishes more pleasure and information, too, than any man on the daily papers, and nothing adds more to the metropolitan journal than the comic drawings made of local and general events. The only objection is there is not more of it.

There are movements in most every city and town for helping the indigent and sick on Christmas Day. DO YOUR PART. Don't leave room for the criticism that you failed to make merry and happy some unfortunate soul who might have been made joyous but for your negligence.

Every bank failure in the United States during the last two months is shown to have been due to gross mismanagement or dishonesty of responsible officials. Incompetency and dishonesty are two things that will bring individual reverses in any country under any economic conditions.

The time and place of the Republican national convention have been fixed and the nomination for the presidency practically made, notwithstanding scattering remarks to the contrary. Senator Hanna said the other day it will be Roosevelt, and Mr Hanna is in the habit of knowing whereof he speaks regarding Republican politics.

Report From The Reform School.

J G Gluck, Superintendent, Pruntytown, W Va., writes: "After trying all other advertised cough medicine we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reform School. I find it the most effective and absolutely harmless." CC & J E Stormes. 1m

Fresh, Crisp, Locals

Gold fish at Thompson's.

Toys at McRoberts' Drug Store. tf

Complete stock of fresh, fine fruits at Zimmerman's.

Clocks, Jewelry and Silverware, sold and guaranteed by Morrow & McRoberts. tf

Go to Marksbury's for seed wheat, rye, corn and oats.

Bargains in Books etc., to make room for Holiday stock at Thompson's.

I have secured a first-class horse shoe, and solicit your patronage. J. B. Conn.

Fine pedigree O. I. C. Boar. One of the best in the county. Service \$1. 10-30-tf Potts Bros.

Bananas and Oranges by the car-load Best fruit cheap, for cash. Good for the children, good for your girl. H M Ballou & Son.

Rooms For Rent. Several comfortable rooms. Possession given January 1st. Mrs. Emma Kaufman. n-20-tf

At Cost. I will sell you a Buggy, Surrey or Phaeton at cost. Secure one while they last. J. B. Conn.

Plumbing Work. As the water works are a go you will need plumbing work. I can give you the service of a practical plumber of several years experience which is to your interest. J. B. Conn.

We sell the Hawk's Cut Glass. Trade mark engraved in every piece. Come see our line of these goods. Thompson the Jeweler.

Candy by the car load. Price from 8c to 75c per pound. For the children and for your girl. H M Ballou & Son.

Give your order for cut flowers such as American beauties, Roses, Carnations, &c to E C Gaines. 2t

Silver Baking dishes and Butter dishes and cups at Thompson's.

Plush and Celluloid goods in great variety at McRoberts' Drug Store. tf

Wait! Look! For sale or rent at once, 1 extra nice new five room cottage with good garden and cistern. Hughes Aldridge, at J B Hasselstein's. 12-18-tf

See the exhibit of Burnt Wood at McRoberts' Drug Store. tf

Don't fail to see Morrow & McRoberts' Holiday goods. They are new and beautiful.

Our Line of

Holiday Goods

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Dresden Vases and China
Sterling Silver
French Stag Sets,
Medallions, Cut Glass
Bronze, Leather Goods

and the most beautiful line of

NONELTIES

we have ever shown.

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**Steam Engines, Boats, Pianos, Dolls,
Doll Houses, Dishes, Blocks, Horns,
Drums, Tool Chests, Cradles, Buggies
Tables, Trunks, Drums, Mechanical Toys, Magic Lanterns**

Call at once and pick out your presents before what you want is gone.

FRISBIE'S DRUG STORE

Fresh, black cakes, the very best made, at Zimmerman's

New line of Sterling Silver and Stag horn mounted pieces and toilet sets at very low prices. All goods engraved free. Thompson the Jeweler. tf

Watch Fruit window Tuesday before Christmas. It will brighten your eyes and lighten your purse. H M Ballou & Son

Important Notice. Town taxes for 1903 are now due. I am always at Police Court room to receive them. You make nothing by delay, so come and pay now. S. D. Rothwell, Collector. a-14-tf

All parties going to Indian or Oklahoma Territories, Arkansas, Texas, Colorado, California or other Western points can get information, saving them money, by calling on J E Stormes Lancaster, Ky. tf

Coal, Coal, Coal. Austin & Beazley, at Barton's old stand carry an immense stock of coal on hand at all times. They handle nothing but the best, and their prices are correct. Rig up No 104, and see what they will do for you. ju-10-tf

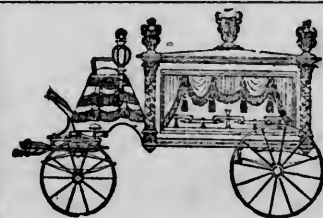
He is richest who gets most enjoyment out of what he has. You can buy more for your money or us than any place in town. See Thompson the Jeweler. tf

Wanted. To buy, a good farm containing 75 to 125 acres, within one to four miles of Lancaster, or some other good town. Anyone having such property for sale will report at this office. n-13-tf

Fancy china hand-painted by the most famous artist. Be sure to call. You can buy cheap. H M Ballou & Son.

Dr Sid Isbell, Osteopath. Located on Richmond street, Lancaster, Ky., two doors below Baptist church. Lady always in attendance. Consultation and examination free. Telephone No. 61. Osteopathy treats with wonderful success all curable diseases. tf

Christmas Announcement. Newest line of Christmas goods in town. Toys, Dolls, Wagons and every thing for the children. 15 lbs of best Granulated sugar, \$1.00. Arbuckles coffee, 12c a lb. Best Flake hominy 4c per lb. Sorghum Molasses 45c a gal. Cooking figs 5c per lb. Southern Flakes 5c a package. Tomato Catsup 5c. Onions, Potatoes and Cabbage. Cheap for Cash at Ward's Grocery, Richmond street near Public Square. 12-4-tf



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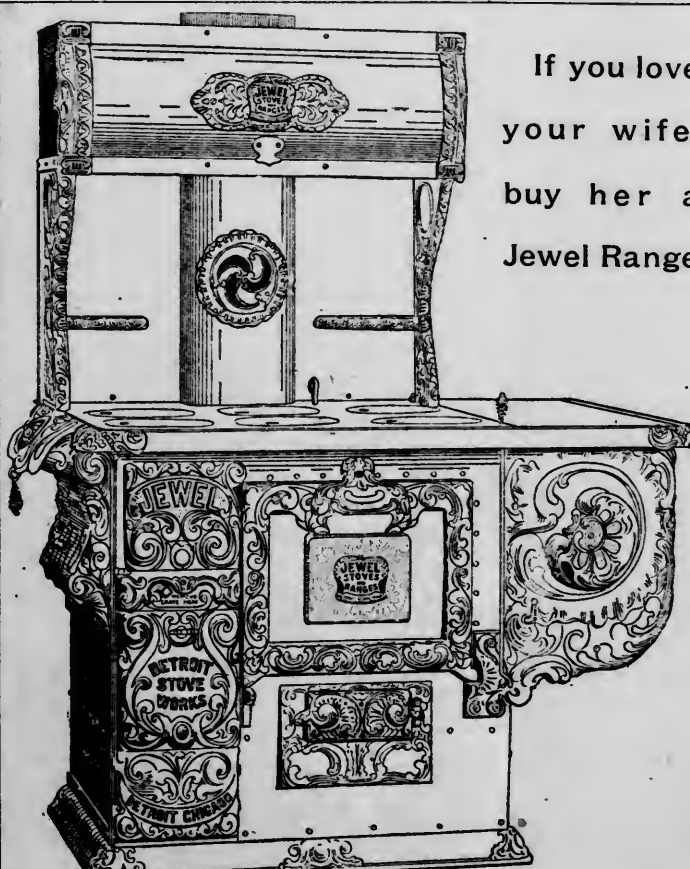
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Millionaire's Poor Stomach.

The worn-out stomach of the overfed millionaire is often paraded in the public prints as a horrible example of the evil attendant on the possession of great wealth. But millionaires are not the only ones who are afflicted with bad stomachs. The proportion is far greater among the toilers. Dyspepsia and indigestion are rampant among these people, and they suffer far worse tortures than the millionaire unless they avail themselves of a standard medicine like Green's August Flower, which has been a favorite household remedy for all stomach troubles for over thirty-five years. August Flower rouses the torpid liver, thus creating appetite and insuring perfect digestion. It tones and vitalizes the entire system and makes life worth living, no matter what your station. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c. At all druggists. Feb. 04.



If you love your wife, buy her a Jewel Range

T. B. WALKER & SON.

NEW MILLINERY GOODS

Arriving Daily.

Handsomest ever brought to Lancaster

SALLIE D TILLET

Removal Sale.

We have on hand TWENTY SETS of HEADSTONES and MARKERS, and to save boxing and hauling, will close them out at prices that will pay you to call at once. Several new designs for Children's Markers in this lot. These stones must be sold by Jan 1st. Also call and get our prices for Spring delivery.

Garrard County Marble Works.

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BEST STOVES,
BEST PRICES,
ALL KINDS.

LAPROBES That are big enough.
LAPROBES That will keep you warm.
LAPROBES That you can afford.

Cutlery...



Pocket Knives
Carving Sets

Razors, Scissors.

WOVEN WIRE FENCE

About People We Know

Mrs. Banks Hudson spent Monday in Lexington.

Dr. H. M. Grant is at home from a recent stay in Louisville.

Miss Mary Woodruff entertained a few friends the past week at a "pit" party.

Misses Martha and Helen Gill will spend the holidays with their sister, Miss Mary.

Mr. W. B. Burton will entertain at a party tomorrow evening at the New Mason hotel.

The teachers, Misses Washburn, Peyton and Oakley will spend Christmas with relatives.

Miss Norine Henry, of Batson's dry goods store, will spend the holidays with her home folks in Lexington.

Mrs. Clementine Kennedy and daughter, Miss Gussie, of Lexington, will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Banks Hudson.

There will be a "Candy Sale" Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Frierson at the Presbyterian parsonage at Paint Lick. All most cordially invited.

The handsome little son, of Mrs. E. H. Smith, of Eldorado, Ark., called on the editor and Capt. White. His uncle, Robert Henry, told him not to fail to meet these two gentlemen. His visit was highly appreciated.

The Record acknowledges receipt of an invitation to the wedding of Mr. William Quincy Adams, of the Owensboro Inquirer, to Miss Grace Higgs, of that city, January 5th. Mr. Adams is one of the "Old Guard" in the Press Association and we send heartiest congratulations.

Miss Ada Dickerson, of Nicholasville is the guest of Miss Cordie Hamilton.

Miss Louise Harris was a charming hostess to a few friends Friday evening.

Miss Skinner, our pleasant telephone operator, is in Beuna Vista for the holidays.

Misses Alberta Anderson and Allie Arnold are visiting relatives in Nicholasville.

Miss Edna Ballou, of Richmond, is the guest of her aunts, Misses Lucy and Tom Francis.

Messrs. Waller Hudson and Louis Gill are at home from Danville to spend the holidays.

Miss Mary Burnside has returned from a very pleasant visit to friends in Lexington and Frankfort.

The young ladies of the B. M. C. club will give a Leap Year party the evening of Jan. 1st, at the W. C. T. U. rooms.

Mrs. Joe A. Elsener and baby of Charleston, West Va., and Joe Miller of Covington, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Miller.

Lexington Leader:—Rev. H. L. Frank, who has been critically ill at St. Joseph's Hospital for several weeks, is much better today and is reported to be getting along nicely.

Danville Advocate:—Dr. and Mrs. B. Ramsey, of Paint Lick, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. P. Frank. They will leave tomorrow for New Orleans, where they will spend the winter.

A kidney or bladder trouble can always be cured by using Foley's Kidney cure in time. C. C. & J. E. Stormes. 18

IN MEMORIAM.

Once more has there been called from the ranks of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union one of its most faithful, devoted members.

Miss Mary Catharine Walker, or "Miss Kate" as she was usually called by her friends, was a charter member of the Lancaster W. C. T. U. retaining her membership with that Union until the time of her death. Seldom, during the many years, was she absent from the weekly meeting, and never, unless compelled to be so.

Possessed of a firm, resolute character, with the courage at all times of her convictions, wise and prudent in her judgment, her counsel and advice doubtless did much to give nobility to the young organization at a time when it was most needed, and her influence has been felt in all the years that have followed.

Though a while before her death she left us for a change of residence, her membership still remained with us; and as a mark of our esteem for her she was recently made a life member of the organization—the only person ever accorded that honor.

To have her with us during our recent State Convention was a pleasure we shall always remember. As our State President, standing by her side placed her arm affectionately around her, and with gracious words of appreciation, presented her to the Convention as one of our most honored members, the aged eyes filled with tears, the lips were too tremulous with emotion to speak, but, as we looked into her face, grown beautiful through a life of loving service to others, we read far better than she could have expressed, the depth of her feelings, and the joy that it gave her to be with us.

Dear faithful heart, ready at all times to fulfill the humblest, as well as the highest mission, to do each day of her life, faithfully, whatever her hands found to do,—for her, there is no death; what seems so is but promotion into a higher sphere of usefulness, an entrance into the Palace of the Great King, and

"It is sweet below
To minister to those whom God doth love;
What will it be to minister above,
His praise to show!"

Realizing that our loss is her gain, we, as a Union are—

Resolved, That while we shall miss from our earthly membership the name and face of Miss Mary Catharine Walker, we rejoice in her life, and are grateful for that Providence which made her for so long a time a member of our organization, and for the imprint of her consecrated Godly character upon our work, the memory of which will abide with us during the years to come.

Resolved, That standing as we do at the close of her earthly life, we reiterate once more our faith in the principles and work to which she gave so much of her best years; and with hearts grown stronger through the memory of her faithfulness, we press forward in the work for God, Home and Every Land.

Mrs. Mary R. Patterson,
Mrs. Fleece Kinnaird,
Mrs. Fannie Farra,
Committee.

Commissioner's Sale of Land.

GARRARD CIRCUIT COURT.

Ruth A. Aldridge's Adm'r., Plff.
vs.
Ruth A. Aldridge's Heirs and Devisees, Dfts.

By virtue of a judgment of the Garrard Circuit Court, rendered at its November Term 1903 in the above styled case, I will on,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1903, publicly before the court house door, in Lancaster, Ky., sell to the highest and best bidder the following described property in Garrard County Ky., which is bounded as follows:

Beginning at a beech tree corner to J. C. Boner thence with him S 22 1/2° E 25.4 poles crossing the turnpike road at a stake corner to Royston, thence passing into and with the middle of the turnpike S 55° E 15 poles S 75° E 27 poles S 41 1/2° E 21.4 poles to a point in the middle of the turnpike and with said Royston N 33 1/2° E 22 poles to a stake in the old Hickman road and thence to same, thence N 18 1/2° E 18 1/2 poles to a mulberry stump in the East side of a road corner to same, thence N 48° E 4.9 poles to a stake in the East side of said drain corner to same, thence down the drain N 1° W 43.1 poles to a point in the middle of the drain, corner to said Naylor in line to J. C. Boner thence with said Boner N 88° W 60 poles to a stone corner to same, thence due to East 21 1/2 poles to beech corner to same thence S 32 1/2° W 8.2 poles to the beginning containing 26 and 90 poles.

TERMS.
The sale will be made on a credit of 6 and 12 months bonds with good security will be required of the purchaser for the purchase money, payable to the undersigned bearing 6 per cent. interest from day of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a judgment upon which execution may issue if bonds are not paid at maturity. A lien will be retained on the property sold until the purchase money is paid.

JOHN W. MILLER,
Master Com'r. Garrard Circuit Court.

Commissioners Sale of Land.

GARRARD CIRCUIT COURT.

Richard Leasure et al., Plffs.
vs.
Ellen Longstreet, etc., Dfts.

By virtue of a judgment of the Garrard Circuit Court rendered at its November Term, 1903, in the above styled case, I will on,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1903, publicly before the Court House door, in Lancaster, Ky., sell to the highest and best bidder the following described property in Garrard County, Ky., which is bounded as follows:

Beginning at an elm on Back Creek corner to Ballou, and also beginning corner to whole tract, thence with Ballou N 77° E 32 poles to a sugar tree corner, thence S 1° E 20 poles to a stake in the center of the Kirkville and Hiattville Turnpike road, thence

down the same as it meanders S 74° W 20 poles S 78° W 33 poles S 89° W 4 poles S 55° W 30 poles S 25° W 30 poles S 7° W 7 poles to the center of Back Creek thence down the same as it meanders North 22 poles N 15° E 14 poles N 55° E 14 poles N 34° E 19 poles to the beginning, containing 16 acres and 2 rods.

From this is deducted the following boundary: Beginning at a sugar tree on the line of Woodson Ballou, thence with Ballou's line S 2 1/2° E 26 poles to a stake in the center of the Hiattville and Kirkville Turnpike road thence with the same W 21 poles to a stake in the middle of same, thence 11 1/2° W 26 poles to a stake in a line of the whole place and Woodson Ballou, thence N 70° E 7 poles to the beginning, containing 4 acres 7 1/2 poles.

TERMS.

The sale will be made on a credit of six and 12 months, bond with good security will be required of the purchaser for the purchase money, payable to the undersigned bearing 6 per cent. interest from day of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a judgment upon which execution may issue if bonds are not paid at maturity. A lien will be retained on the property sold until the purchase money is paid.

JOHN W. MILLER,
Master Com'r. Garrard Circuit Court.

Commissioner's Sale of Land.

GARRARD CIRCUIT COURT.

J. M. Barlow's Widow and Heirs, Plffs.
vs.
J. M. Barlow's Heirs, Dfts.

By a writ of judgment of the Garrard Circuit Court rendered at its November Term in the above styled case, I will on,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1903, publicly before the court house door, in Lancaster, Ky., sell to the highest and best bidder the following described property in Garrard County Ky., which is bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake on a hill side in line to Yantis and corner to the dower, thence with Yantis N 54° E 3.35 chains to a stake, old call a poplar stump, thence with Yantis N 79° W 2.40 chains to stake N 39 1/2° W 2.50 chains to a large oak stump, N 8° W 8.75 chains to a stake N 20° W 4.65 chains to a stake N 37° W 5.5 chains running through the old distillery of Stone & Barlow to a stake near the forks of a drain corner to Yantis, thence up a drain with Mrs. Black, East 4 chains S 68° E 4.25 chains N 86° E 3 chains S 49 1/2° E 5 chains to a stake, the forks of a drain, thence up left-hand drain S 85° E 7 chains near head of drain N 75° E 3.75 chains to a point in hedge fence old sugar tree corner, thence with hedge fence S 88° E passing Black and Lacks corner at 2.20 chains in all 15.75 chains to a point in Duggins' spring branch, corner to Payne and in Lacks' line, thence with said Payne S 21° E passing a stone on North side of a drain at 4.58 chains formerly iron-wood corner in lot on corner 31 chains to a stone on a branch corner to Payne and in line to Jesse Ledford, thence up said branch with its meanders and with said Ledford S 77° W 2.50 chains S 58° W 3.35 chains to a point in branch opposite a marked young hickory, S 52° W 2 chains N 51° W 4 poles S 37° W 4.35 chains S 82 1/2° W 2.60 chains to a stone at the forks of branch an old corner to the Eason and the tract thence continuing up the left hand prong and still with Ledford S 30 1/2° W 2.08 chains S 81 1/2° W 2.60 chains S 53 1/2° W 1.37 chains S 63 1/2° W 2.5 links to a point in said branch corner to the dower, thence with dower lines N 11 1/2° W 18.60 chains to a stake at a wire fence 12 links East of a marked coffee bean thence with wire fence S 70 1/2° W passing a stone an old corner at seven chains and thence on same course 7.81 chains more, making in all 14.81 chains to the beginning containing 107.85 acres.

The fence on this, the heirs land, which runs parallel with the line cutting of the dower to be moved and put on the line and made a partnership fence. The above tract of land comprises the portion set apart to the heirs herein and does not include the dower land.

TERMS.

This sale will be made on a credit of 6 and 12 months, bonds with good security will be required of the purchaser for the purchase money, payable to the undersigned bearing 6 per cent. interest from day of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a judgment upon which execution may issue if bonds are not paid at maturity. A lien will be retained on property sold until purchase money is paid.

JOHN W. MILLER,
Master Com'r. Garrard Circuit Court.

Commissioners Sale of Land.

GARRARD CIRCUIT COURT.

JOHN A. WOOD, Trustee in Bankruptcy, of C. M. Jenkins, Plff.
vs.
The National Bank of Lancaster, et al., Dfts.

The National Bank of Lancaster on Cross Petition vs. C. M. Jenkins & Co. Dfts.

White, Dunksrson & Co on cross petition, vs. The National Bank of Lancaster & Co. Dfts.

By virtue of a judgment of the Garrard Circuit Court, rendered at its November Term, 1903, I will on,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1903, publicly before the court house door in Lancaster Ky sell to the highest and best bidder the following described property in Garrard County, Ky., and bounded as follows, to-wit:

First Tract. Two-ninths undivided interest of C. M. Jenkins and the curtesy or life interest in the remaining seven-ninths of 235 acres. 1 road and 30 poles, as follows: Beginning at a sugar tree at "A" on Buford's old line; thence N 86 1/2° E 97 poles to a stone in a drain; thence down the same with its meanders S 73° E 23 poles S 84° E 24 poles S 52° E 22 poles S 49° E 20 poles S 63° E 44 poles to a stone in a flat; thence continuing down the branch N 86 1/2° E 108 poles to a stone; thence N 31° E 54 poles to a beech; thence N 74° W 12 poles to a sugar tree stump in a shed; thence N 35° W 34 poles to a sugar tree; thence N 28 1/2° W 17 poles to a stone; thence N 46 1/2° W 21 poles to a stone; thence N 30 1/2° W 11 poles to a stone; thence N 50 1/2° W 16 poles to a beech stump; thence N 59° W 23 poles to an elm stump; thence N 87 1/2° W 40 poles to a stone to the Buford line; thence with said line S 12 1/2° E 12 poles to stone; thence N 71 1/2° W 43 poles to a stake in the forks of a branch; thence N 34 1/2° W 42.60 poles to a stake; thence N 53° W 6 poles to a beech on the side of the road; thence N 66° W 32.60 poles to a stone between sugar tree and elm pointers; thence west 94 poles to a black walnut on old corner; thence S 14° E 144 poles to the beginning containing, 235 acres.

1 road and 30 poles, but in said conveyance a small strip of about 14 acres along the drain bordering on the Middleton farm had been contracted for to G. B. Dunn to enable him to secure his fence out of said drain. Said land was conveyed by David F. Smith and wife to C. M. Jenkins and his wife Anna M. Jenkins by deed of record in Garrard county clerk's office.

Second tract. The curtesy or life estate of said C. M. Jenkins in the following tract: Beginning at a sugar tree corner to Colby Jenkins; thence a new line S 80 1/2° W 30 poles to a stake in Adams' line; thence with said Adams' line S 43 1/2° poles to an oak in the turn of a road; thence with the south edge of the said road and lane N 87 1/2° E 80.3 poles to the beginning, containing 21 acres 1 road and 28 poles.

Third tract. On the waters of sugar creek, beginning at a stone corner to no H. Dunn, a new line S 72° W 100.20 poles to a stake on the line of the whole Adams' tract and in the line of the other Adams' land; thence with the line of said land S 83° E 19.5 poles to a stake near the west post of a gate, thence N 3° W 9.25 poles to a stake, N 89 1/2° E passing 16 feet N of an old ash corner 82.5 poles to a stake on said Jenkins' line 16 ft N of an old poplar stump, thence with said line N 3° W 92.5 poles to a buckeye stump, corner to Jeff Dunn; thence with said Jeff Dunn and John H. Dunn's line S 87 1/2° W 82.9 poles to beginning, containing 53 acres 3 rods and 28 poles; also a strip of land 17 ft wide that was reserved by J. W. Poor in conveyance made by him to John W. Folger running the whole length of northern line of Folger and bounding on southern line of Jno H. Dunn, the whole of said tract of land having been conveyed by John W. Poor to defendant C. M. Jenkins on the 2nd day of April, 1878, by deed, recorded in Garrard county clerk's office in Deed Book, No. 3 page 301.

Fourth tract. On the waters of Dix River and Sugar Creek, and bounded as follows: Beginning at stone corner to C. M. Jenkins, thence his line S 12° W 53 poles to the middle of the Bryantville and Sugar Creek Turnpike road, thence with the middle and meanders of said turnpike S 84° E 5 poles S 77° E 84 poles to a point in the middle of same a new corner, thence a new line N 54° W passing a locust tree free and aft, standing near the pike 73 poles to a stone corner to W. J. Hogan and C. M. Jenkins, thence with said Jenkins' line S 89 1/2° W 80 poles to the beginning, containing 324 acres and 15 poles, it being the same tract of land which was conveyed to C. M. Jenkins by J. H. Dunn and others on the 23rd day of March 1883 by deed of record in Deed Book 7, page 621, in Garrard county clerk's office.

Fifth tract. On the waters of Sugar Creek, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point in the middle of the Bryantville and Sugar Creek Turnpike, a new corner; thence leaving the pike a new line S 12° E 15.5 chains to a stake, new corner in line to C. M. Jenkins, thence his line N 80 1/2° E 13.83 chains to a stake in said line corner to Mrs. Atha Dunn, thence her line N 14° W 20.11 chains to a point in the south edge of meadow on aforesaid pike; thence with pike S 46° W 6.24 chains, S 80 1/2° W 9.15 chains to the beginning, containing 22.83 acres; it being the same tract of land conveyed by J. H. Dunn and wife to defendant C. M. Jenkins by deed dated April 15th 1891, and recorded in Deed Book, 10th page 628, Garrard county clerk's office.

Sixth tract. The curtesy or life estate in the following tract. Beginning at a point in the middle of the Danville and Lancaster Turnpike road, corner to Ford; thence leaving said pike and with said Ford S 69° E 5.40 poles to a stake; N 85 1/2° E 3 poles to a stake S 84 1/2° E 28 poles to a stake; S 82° E 11 poles to a stake; N 89 1/2° E 32.90 poles to a stake corner to W. J. Hogan; thence his line S 21° W 64 poles to a stake corner to same and with line to Jeff Dunn; thence with said Dunn west 80 1/2 poles to a stake corner to same; thence S 1° W 52 1/2 poles to a stake in north edge of metal of return pike leaving Ford's mouth of Sugar Creek corner to said Dunn and with line to the north edge of said turnpike road S 89 1/2° W 80 poles to a point in the middle of the Danville, Lancaster and Nicholasville turnpike road; thence with the middle of same S 34 1/2° W 22.40 poles to point in the middle of same S 38 1/2° W 22.40 poles at the intersection of the Fisher's Ford County Road; thence with the middle of said county road N 86° W 60 poles to a stake in the middle of same, a new corner to Martha J. Wood; thence a new line to same, N 4° E 62.64 poles to a stake a new corner to same; thence another line S 86° E 104 poles to the middle of the aforesaid turnpike road, a new corner to same, thence another new line S 86 1/2° E 104 poles to the middle of the aforesaid turnpike road a new corner, thence with the middle and meanders of said pike N 38 1/2° E 19.60 poles; N 35° E 34 poles N 32° E passing said Martha J. Smith's corner to the dower at 364 poles, in all 444 poles to the beginning, containing 96 acres.

Ninth tract. A passway 16 ft wide running from first tract above described along second tract above described out to county road, and being two rights of way, first the passway bordering on the Jeffries place, beginning on the line of J. H. Dunn, on the north side of Lamb tract being 16 ft in width and running to and connecting with the following described passway and containing about one-half acre. Second, also the passway beginning at "B" at stake marked on the Adams plot, thence with the line of David Floyd, S 4° E 184 poles to the middle of the road, thence with the same, 16 ft to a stake, thence N 4° W 184 poles to the dividing line of Adams (Festergatel) and D. P. Smith, thence in with said lines S 83 1/2° E 16 ft to the beginning, containing one acre and 18 poles. Said first passway adjoins the land conveyed to C. M. Jenkins and wife in April 1873, being first tract above described, and connects with said last named passway on the Wood-yard and Lamb farms intersecting the road running by Geo. Burdett's.

In making said sale the Commission er will offer said tracts of land in the following manner, to-wit: He will offer the two-ninths undivided interest in first tract by itself, and the curtesy interest in the remaining seven-ninths thereof by itself, then he will offer both together and together with second tract. He will then offer second tract by itself.

He will next offer third and fifth tracts together, the same lying together, then the fourth tract by itself. He will then offer seventh tract by itself. Said Commission er will then offer all of said tracts and interests as a whole, the bid or bids realizing the most money for all said lands will be accepted.

TERMS.

The sale will be made on a credit of 6 and 12 months bonds with good security will be required of the purchaser for the purchase money, payable to the undersigned bearing 6 per cent. interest from day of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a judgment upon which execution may issue

if bonds are not paid at maturity. A lien will be retained on the property sold until the purchase money is paid.

JOHN W. MILLER,
Master Commissioner, Garrard Circuit Court.

W. S. BEAZLEY G. C. FARIS
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Office over Thompson's store, Danville, Ky.

Election Notice.

There will be an election held by the stockholders of the National Bank of Lancaster Ky at its bank building between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. on Tuesday, January 12, 1904 to elect five directors to serve the ensuing year.
Dec. 3, 1903. S. C. DENNY, Cashier.

Election Notice.

There will be a meeting of the share holders of The Citizens National Bank at their office Tuesday, January 12th, 1904, for the purpose of electing five directors to serve the ensuing year.
Dec. 4th, 1903. B. F. HUDSON, Cashier.

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HANDS.

It is a curious fact that the word hands should live in our language as a practical definition of the value and standing of the laboring classes. Mill hands, farm hands, factory hands, they are all alike, simply hands. Even the workers themselves recognize this definition as accurate by rarely looking beyond the activity of the hands whose skill or strength earns the wage. But some day the worker learns that behind the hands is the stomach. When the stomach is weak or diseased the hands lose their strength and cunning. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It makes the body strong. It enables a man to work full time and earn full wages.

Mr. Thomas A. Swartz, of Columbus, Ohio, Box 103, Sub. Station "C," writes: "I was taken very sick and doctors told me it would kill me if I did not do something for myself. I was taken with severe headaches, then cramps in the stomach and my food would not digest, then kidney and liver trouble and my back got so weak I could scarcely get around. I had become so poorly I could only walk in the house by the aid of a chair, and I got so thin I had given up to die thinking that I could not be cured. Then one of my neighbors said, 'Take my advice and take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and make a new man out of yourself.' The first bottle helped me so much I thought I would get another, and after I had taken eight bottles in about six weeks I was weighed and found I had gained twenty-seven (27) pounds. I have done more hard work in the past eleven months than I did in two years before, and I am as stout and healthy to-day, I think, as I ever was."

FREE. Dr. Pierce's Common-Sense Medical Advice is sent FREE on receipt of names to pay express on medicine. Send twenty-one one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or thirty-one stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Land, Stock, Crops.

Messrs. James Prather, Grant White and N. Ray, of Needmore, Mason county, killed 140 rabbits in a twenty acre field in that neighborhood and they say they left as many more.

There is no doubt now that all of the hundred and nineteen counties in Kentucky will have representation at the World's Fair, if not in one department, in another. The county that does not show agricultural products will probably be in the mineral exhibit, and if not in the mineral or agricultural displays will have a place either in forestry, education, horticulture or live stock.

The harvest of wheat alone engages about 1,000,000 men and 50,000 teams three months of the summer, while at least 10,000 women are needed to prepare food for the workers. The harvest of other crops employs less men, but the entire number of harvesters needed in gathering the crops of the United States has been estimated at 1,520,700—that is exclusive of the farmers that reside on their own land and aid in the harvest.

The breeding of the champion steer of the International Fat Stock Show, Challenger, is one half Hereford, one-quarter Shorthorn, and one-quarter Holstein. It is to be hoped that these unexpected honors will not have the effect of turning the heads of Holstein-Friesian breeders toward beef or dual purpose. Better keep on in the old lines of milk and butter.

The largest Congressional seed distribution ever made by the Government will soon be made. Before spring planting, over 1,000 tons of seeds of various kinds will have been sent broadcast throughout the United States. There will be 45,000,000 packages, and the cost of placing these in the hands of the recipients of Uncle Sam's favor will be \$270,000. With a view to handling the seeds better, the country has been divided into six districts, and seeds and plants particularly adapted to that section will be sent there much complaint in the past that there was no discrimination in placing seeds, and that Minnesota was as likely to receive seeds and plants that would grow only in the latitude of Florida as any others. The vegetable seeds will be put up, five packets in a large package and each member of Congress will receive 12,500 of these packages. Cotton and tobacco seed of the very best varieties will be distributed among the Southern members who have constituents raising these crops.

Harrodsburg Herald—Bruce Tewmeyer shipped 90 hogs to Louisville and sold for 41c. Miller Cloyd sold a

bunch of stock shoats and two brood sows and a Poland China boar at 4c to J. R. Jansell. Cle Coleman returned Thursday from Southwest Missouri, where he bought 1,500 head of cattle the past month at 24 and 3c. Some of them have been put on slop in Anderson county and 200 head are at Curley's distillery.

One well fed, housed steer, pig or goat, is worth more than two without sufficient food and shelter. Frozen combs stop the supply of eggs. Rub a few drops of glycerine on the comb and wattle to heal them, for until they are healed you will get no eggs, and eggs are money these days.

The statistics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture show that in 1890 it required 174 cents worth of labor to produce a bushel of wheat. In 1896 this was reduced to 31 cents. In 1890 the time representing the production of a bushel of corn was 44 hours. In 1896, it was reduced to 34 minutes! This saving was largely brought about by the introduction and use of improved farm machinery.

Fight Will Be Bitter. Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall, of Beall, Miss., has to say, "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Guaranteed by McRobert's Druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free. 1m

The misfortunes that are hardest to bear are those that never happen. Coughs, Colds and Consumption. Few people realize when taking cough medicines other than Foley's Honey and Tar, that they contain opiates which are constipating besides being unsafe, particularly for children. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, is safe and sure and will not constipate. C. C. & J. E. Stormes. 1m

A young man can't expect to keep his trousers creased when he is courting.

A Frightened Horse. Running like mad down the street, dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable Salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, Cuts, Sores, Eczema and Piles, disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c, at McRobert's Drug Store. 1m

The first prize for a car load of fat cattle at the Chicago Show was won by a load of yearling steers from Boffa, Ill. They were out of pure bred Shorthorn cows by pure bred Herford bulls. They averaged 1009 pounds and brought \$8.35 per cwt. The prize for single fat animal was won by a Herford steer from Nebraska. He won \$430 in prizes. He weighed 1,825 lbs. and was sold at 28c per lb. The Breeders Protective Association of Kentucky, has this fall bought 175 mares and fillies which it has put out of the breeding business. The organization has been established five years, and during that time has sent 691 mares out of the breeding business. This is done by buying up mares with poor breeding records, destroying all evidences of their identity, and shipping them to distant cities, where they are sold for work horses, and all trace of their pedigrees lost.

A Costly Mistake. Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dispepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c, at McRobert's Drug Store. 1m

Subscribe for The Record.

The Ladies of the Aid Society will give an entertainment at the Court House Thursday, Dec. 29th, "Entitled Milk Maid's Convention." There will be 30 people in the play, and a pleasant evening is assured to those who attend. d18-2t

FOUND—Fraternity pin, bearing letters L F K A, and dates 87 98. Owner can have same by paying 40 cents for this notice.

Public Sale of Valuable City Property. I will offer for sale on Monday, December 28, 1903, County Court day, my lot and dwelling, the house containing four rooms, splendid cistern, good outbuildings, everlasting pool, with spring running in. Also good stock pens, pair of brand new stock scales. The pens are paying well. The property is located on Stanford street, between railroad and said street. For further information address, or telephone me at Kirksville. S. G. Estes, Kirksville, Ky., W. P. Prewitt, Auctioneer. d18-2t

Strayed. Taken about Dec. 1st, seven small shoats, 1 mile south of Buena Vista, appraised by Holly Early and Fred Brooks at \$2.00 per head. Owner can have them by proving same and paying cost and damages. Mrs. Belle Scott. 3t

A Timely Topic. At this season of coughs and colds it is well to know that Foley's Honey and Tar is the greatest throat and lung remedy. It cures quickly and prevents serious results from a cold. C. C. & J. E. Stormes. 1m

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Plenty rain and ice this week.

The Lone Star State. Down in Texas at Yoakum, is a big dry goods firm of which Mr. J. M. Haller is the head. Mr. Haller on one of his trips East to buy goods said to a friend who was with him in the palace car, "Here, take one of these Little Early Risers upon retiring and you will be up early in the morning feeling good." For the "dark brown" taste, headache and that loggy feeling Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers are the best pills to use. Sold by F. P. Frisbie. 1m

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For Rent. Property now occupied by H. C. Jennings. Possession given January 1. Large dwelling, splendid garden and five acres of land. Two good cisterns, property in good repair. D. G. Ross. 24-2t.

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Business and Bargains

Minstrels at Court house, Dec. 22nd. Get a box of Lowney's fine candies at Zimmer's.

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Handsome boxes of Lowney's celebrated candies at Zimmer's.

All of the latest songs, by good singers at the Minstrels, the 22nd.

Don't buy your Xmas candles until you see the big stock at Zimmer's.

Buy your black cake ready made. We have the best you can get. Zimmer.

Lost. Masonic Knight Templar's Watch Charm. Reward at Record office.

The only Holiday entertainment will be given Dec. 29th, be sure to attend. d18-2t

If you are from Missouri come and we will show you, Dec. 22. 25 and 35c.

You should see our new line of matings and carpets. 2t. The Logan Dry Goods Co.

See our bargains in Cloaks and Furs before you buy. 2t. The Logan Dry Goods Co.

The Ladies' Aid Society will have an entertainment at the court house on Dec. 29.

Get seats at Stormes' Drug Store, and you had better go early for they are "going some."

Thousands of pounds of candles at Zimmer's. They are fresh, pure and reasonable in price.

Call on R. L. Underwood for your fancy and staple groceries and all kinds of fruits. 2t.

What's nicer than a box of flowers. Order a box for your friend. 2t. E. C. Gaines.

Reward. \$5.00 reward for a man who can go to the African Minstrels and not crack a smile, Dec. 22.

R. L. Underwood keeps cheap and fancy Christmas candles and it will pay Santa Claus to see my line which is fresh from the factory. 2t.

For spot cash will allow you 10c off of every 18 worth of goods you buy from this date 'til Jan. 1st. Thompson the Jeweler.

We have a nice assortment of ladies' and gents' umbrellas suitable for Christmas presents. 2t. The Logan Dry Goods Co.

Our Queen Quality and Princess Perfection shoes are right up to date in style and the price is moderate. 2t. The Logan Dry Goods Co.

All parties having claims against the estate of Wm. Ward, deceased, will present them properly proven to the undersigned by Jan. 1st, 1903. R. G. Ward, Adm'r. d18-2t

We have just received a handsome line of Smyrner and Moquette Rugs. Any of them would make a nice Christmas present. 2t. The Logan Dry Goods Co.

Don't fail to attend the "Milk Maid's Convention" at the courthouse Dec. 29th, given by home talent. 2t.

Last Notice. All taxes, 1902-3 not paid by Jan. 10, will be advertised at once, and sold. Don't say you haven't been notified. 12-22-3t. W. L. Lawson, s o c.

Lost. A big sorrel saddle horse, 10 or 12 years old, about 114 hands high, heavy built, very good mane and tail. Apply to L. C. Rogers, Harrodsburg, Ky. 12-22-4t

Sterling silver spoons, forks and fancy pieces. New and complete line. All goods put in nice satin lined boxes and engraved free. 2t. Thompson the Jeweler.

A very fine line of Leather goods in Ladies' Hand Bags and Purses and Gentlemen's Traveling Cases at McRobert's Drug Store. 1m

Morrow & McRoberts are showing the nicest line of Cut Glass ever in the town. 2t.

Books! Books! All kind of books at McRobert's Drug Store. 2t.

If we serve you well, tell others, if not tell us, in other words, don't tell your troubles to the policeman but to 2t. Thompson the Jeweler.

Our Xmas goods are open for your inspection. China, Bisque figures and vases. Thompson the Jeweler. 2t

Nice line of new Diamond rings and pins. Thompson the Jeweler. 2t

Cut Flowers. We have made arrangements with the Bastin Telephone Co., whereby we will pay charges on all orders for cut flowers telephoned to us over the Bastin system (Stanford, Crab Orchard, and all Garrard county). We are agents for Honaker, the Lexington florist, and can fill orders for any designs on the shortest notice. Call us up and we will telephone order at once. Phone 119. J. C. Thompson, Lancaster. 9-25-04

Two hours and fifteen minutes of solid amusement at the minstrel next Tuesday night. Singing, dancing, banjo solos and up-to-date jokes given by men capable of giving them. Price of admission 25 and 35c. Seats on sale at Stormes' Drug Store.

Coal: Coal!

If you want coal, and good coal, call on J. Adams & Leavel at Leavel's old stand. Rock bottom prices for the cash. 12-18-3t

The best place in town to buy coal cheap for cash. Prompt attention guaranteed. J. Adams & Leavel. 12-18-3t

Every customer purchasing \$15.00 worth of goods for cash will receive 50 cents worth of any goods in the house free. Thompson the Jeweler.

Valuable Property For Rent.

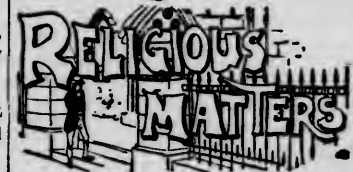
I have for rent in the city of Lancaster, one 5 room cottage, 2 good barns, and other outbuildings, with five acres of land upon which is situated the public stock pens and good stock scales. Any one wishing a valuable location should investigate. Alex. Walker. 12-11-1t

If you are sick, don't take patent medicines, go to the Court house, the 22nd and forget your troubles, you will surely have to laugh then. 25 and 35c. Bol. Beedleumbo, the South African Princess, will be seen in her favorite dance, Dons du Bungalo at Minstrels Tuesday. To see her is worth twice the price of admission. Price 25 and 35c.

Potter Press For Sale.

A seven column Potter Press for sale cheap. Is in good repair and does fine work. Call on or write to W. F. Walton, Lexington, Ky. 2t

For Rent, Eason property, opposite Baptist church. Possession Jan. 1st. M. D. Hughes.



CREATE IN ME A CLEAN HEART.

Oh, Father, heed the prayer! In me create A heart unselfish, freed from worldly guile. Cleanse now my soul from sin's unworthy state. Regenerate by grace the mean and vile; That mine may be a life of purity. Be Thou my strength, and bid my faith increase. With human weakness, Lord, deal patiently— Bestow Thy love and grant Thy wondrous peace.

Though sin and death abound on every side, Though men are false, in Thee we may confide, And through life's trials till my prayer shall be: A clean, pure heart, O God, create in me! Heal all my troubles with the touch divine, And cleanse and keep this erring heart of mine. —Miss Margaret Scott Hall, in N. Y. Observer.

CHOOSE.

God Does Not Impose Arbitrary and Unreasonable Commands, But Sets Before Us a Choice.

The Bible does not impose upon us arbitrary and unreasonable commands. It sets before us facts, and invites us to decide with enthusiasm for one alternative or the other—for God will have no lukewarm service. In view of the awful temptations and the noble opportunities with which every life abounds, it says to every man who has ears to hear: "Choose." A glance at any concordance, says the Sunday School Times, will show how often the Bible presents us with the thought that God makes choices. Choice is one of the highest exercises of the rational nature, and the divine command to choose—such a command as was urged by Moses and Joshua, by Christ and Paul, by all teachers and leaders who have felt the everlasting importance of life's issues—such a command can dishonor no man. It assumes that we are rational beings, who were not made to be driven, but who can examine and decide for ourselves.

The power to choose, which lifts us above the brutes, is a power that we exercise all too seldom. Most lives are neither conspicuous successes nor brilliant failures, just because men so seldom arrest themselves and make some deliberate resolve. The mistake which blights so many lives is, not that they make a definite choice of evil, but that they never choose at all. Too seldom do men look alternatives honestly in the face. They do not choose; they drift. You could almost count up on the fingers of your two hands all the men you know who have ever made some great and solemn choice which has seriously shaped their subsequent career. How many could tell why they are in this trade or profession, and not in that; in this church, and not in that? We are where we are, often, simply because our parents, or some other of the powers that be, put us there. So far, that is right; we must receive our start in life from others. But, as we love God and our own souls, we must not stand there; we must learn to choose for ourselves, and not drift into the other world with the helplessness of the beasts that perish.

Numberless things of the highest moment were determined for us before ever we saw the light. We did not choose our parents, our family, our country, our language, our religion, our social station, the sphere within which our friendships are possible or by which our education is limited. We stand, as it were, within a charmed circle, across which we often feel we cannot step. If we move at all, it is only, like the prisoner, to walk to and fro and round and round. Yet God has so made us that it is in our power to choose the greatest things. Our path may sometimes seem to be tracked out for us before ever we begin life's journey; we may seem to be sternly compassed about by necessity, yet God's word to every man is "Choose." And woe to him who stops his ears and allows himself to be borne onward every day nearer and nearer to a goal which he has never once looked straight in the face!

Nor need our choice be a blind one. As is to be made in the light of our experience. God asks no man to choose without giving him facts to determine his choice. We cannot look over

Do Not Doss The Stomach.

Cure Catarrh by Nature's Own Method—Every Mouth of Hyomei brings Relief.

Nearly every one who has catarrh knows how foolish it is to try and cure it by drugging the stomach. Temporary relief may be given, but a cure seldom comes.

Until recently your physician would have said the way to cure catarrh would be to have a change of climate; but now with Hyomei you can carry a health giving climate in your vest pocket and by breathing it a few minutes four times a day soon cure yourself.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs you but \$1.00 and consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the vest pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. The inhaler lasts a lifetime, and if one bottle does not cure, an extra bottle of Hyomei can be obtained for 50 cents. It is the most economical of all remedies advertised for the cure of catarrh, and is the only one that follows nature in her method of treating diseases of the respiratory organs.

R. E. McRoberts has sold a great many Hyomei outfits and the more he sells the more convinced he is perfectly safe in guaranteeing to refund the money if Hyomei does not cure.

Our little lives, still less over the expanse of history, without choosing for God, if we choose at all. Do you not see how your life has been molded by Divine fingers? how the disappointment which a few years ago you felt sure would crush you has opened up for you other treasures of un dreamed-of happiness, which would have been forever sealed had God then given you your own foolish way? Do you not feel that the bereavement which seemed to bury your own heart in the grave of your dear dead has brought you after many days a peace, and even a quiet joy, which you never knew before? Your past is written all over with the finger of God; it is in the light of all that that you are to make your choice. The God who bids you choose is the God who helps you to choose, who

"From our mother's arms Hath blessed us on our way With countless gifts of love, And still is ours to-day."

And the time to choose is to-day. Time has no meaning for God; for Him who is, and was, and is to be, there is no yesterday and no to-morrow. But we are creatures of time. A hundred years ago we were not; in another hundred years we shall not be—not, at least, in the visible world, taking part in its social or political affairs, nor in the visible church, sharing her struggles and aspirations. We look before and after. Our past may kindle inspiration or remorse, according as we have been faithful or unfaithful to the best that we knew. Our future may fill us with hope or despair according to our temper of mind; and of the past and of the future we are not masters; we command nothing but the present. The past is past, the future is God's, the present alone is ours. We cannot choose in the past; it is gone, and with it all power of modifying it by the free exercise of our will. We cannot choose in the future; we may never see the day to which we postpone our decision; some future certainly we shall never see. The present only is the time of choice.

It is often said that most men live in the present. In one sense, that is true; in another sense, it would be nearer the truth to say that few men really live in the present in any profound sense of the word "live" at all. The old man lives proverbially in the past, with its memories of the good old times; the young man lives in the future, when the toils and hardships of the present have won for him means and leisure. We live in any day and every day but the day that is ours, the day that is passing—to-day.

It is so hard to realize the infinite value of the present-day. The past, which we think to be so far, as it lies in the golden light of memory, was once the present. Did we think it fair then? The future, whose rosy brilliance beckons us across the years, will one day be the present. Shall we think it so radiant then? No sane man would dream of despising the pleasures of memory or hope; but the present, with its clamant opportunities and its solemn responsibilities, ought to be as inspiring a force in our lives as the past with its memories, or the future with its hopes. The present, which we think so commonplace, will some day be a past, which we shall probably think beautiful. Why should we not think it beautiful now? This day holds in its bosom the memories of the past and the hopes of the future. But it is greater than the future and the past, for we have it, but we have not them. We, then, who are alive this day, breathing God's air, looking up to His Heaven, have still the present in our hands, therefore let us

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Manufacturers of and dealers in High Grade Flour and Meal, Graham Flour, Ship Stuff, Screenings, Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats Crushed Corn, Seed Grains, Mixed Poultry Food, Bone and Amonia, Potash, Fertilizers, Sorghum-Seed, Pop Corn Crushed Oyster Shells, Cotton Seed Meal, Lin Seed Meal, Charcoal, Field Seeds, Hay, Straw.

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choose. It is to-day that is the accepted time—to-day, and no other day. Day by day God is pouring upon His thoughtless children His treasure of golden hours. They will pass all too soon away—and then?

We are yet in the enjoyment of health and strength and unclouded mental vision. Whether our brain will be clear to-morrow, and our powers of resolution unimpaired, we do not know. Reserves come like a thief in the night. The indecision of to-day cripples the resolution of to-morrow. "It is always to-day with God," said Origen—but it is not always to-day with us. Therefore, while it is called to-day, let us harden not our hearts, but choose. If we refuse to enter now into the beautiful house in which Christ is longing to spread His table before us, there may come a time when the door will be shut.

The importance of choice is obvious, the time to choose is to-day. But what are we to choose? The path of service. "We will serve the Lord." The noblest and the rarest choice is the choice of service, and the wisest service is the service of the highest and best. The only choice on which anything really vital ever depends is the choice of that which we shall serve. Serve something we must. We were born to serve. Day by day we have humbly to serve Nature's great and unerring laws, or she would sweep us out of existence; and hour by hour, in the problems that cross our path, we are serving God and Christ or ourselves—if not God or Christ, then ourselves. No man is so profoundly the slave of himself as the man who thinks he is his own master. Jesus' choice was the choice of service. "He was in the form of God," sharing His ineffable glory; but "He made Himself of no reputation, and took upon Him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of man, and humbled Himself, and became obedient unto death." That was the hard, rough path that Jesus deliberately chose for us men and for our salvation; and, as the Father sent Him, so He sends us on a mission of service to all whom we can help. It is this that gives unity to His life. "I am among you as he that doth serve." And it was He Himself who taught us that we serve Him by serving those who need our service. "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

RELIGIOUS TRUTHS. The mind will be like the stuff it feeds on.—United Presbyterian. All God's paths lead onward and lead home.—George Adam Smith. Prayers breathe hope and prayer without hope is sinful prayer.—John Sergieff. Failure in life is impossible to him who can say: "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."—United Presbyterian. He will not send thee into a wood to feel an oak with a penknife. When He calls thee to work, thou never didst. He will give thee the strength thou never hadst.—John Mason. If a man's earnest calling, to which of necessity the greater part of his thought is given, is altogether dissociated in his mind from his religion, it is not wonderful that his prayers should by degrees wither and die. The question is, whether they ever had much vitality.—George Macdonald.

INFANT TERRIBLE. Venerable Aunt (who is about to depart)—Oh, I do hope I won't miss the train. Little Johnny—You won't, auntie; papa set the clock half an hour ahead.—Fleegende Blaetter.

A Change of Texture. "Her cheek was velvet," thus declared His sweet love-note; but when, in court, These notes were read aloud, he thought, Her cheek was of a different sort.—Town Topics.

For His Comfort. "Now, you mustn't try to talk," said the surgeon, who was setting and bandaging the man's broken jaw. "The least said is the soonest mended."—Chicago Tribune.

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A Big Gap. "Papa, what is the difference between a sanitarium and an asylum?" "About \$100 dollars a week."—N. Y. Herald.

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The Central Record.

Laicester, Ky., Dec. 22, 1903.
SUPPLEMENT

MT. HEBRON.

(Delayed Letter.)

Miss Mary Preston is on the sick list.

Mr B F Evans is teaching school at Duncan Bros.

Doll Talla Ho and Buggies at Thompson's.

Mrs Adams is very low with consumption.

There is nothing traveling in this section but "colds."

Mr Dennie Scott sold some hemp seed at \$2.20 per bushel.

Endless variety of Dolls at McRoberts' Drug Store.

John Jackson moved Monday to property near Toddville.

John Vanderpool's family have been visiting from chicken-pox.

E F Scott sold to Dennie Scott's helpers at 24c per pound.

Hattie Duncan is at home again after a few week's visit with relatives in Massine.

B Bourne and family have moved to property recently purchased on the Keye pike.

Mae and A E Scott closed their schools at Locust Grove and Sunday last Friday.

New patterns in Tea and Table Linens, sterling silver. Every set put in a silk lined box and engraved for at Thompson's.

Morfort & Sanders have taken possession of the store at Bourne, and expect to run a first-class business there.

Mr and Mrs Willie Grow, Miss Jennie Lou Rogers and brother George, were the guests of Mrs E F Scott, Saturday and Sunday.

The little grand daughter of Mr and Mrs John Eason, died at their home last Thursday, of consumption. The burial took place at Mt. Hebron cemetery the following day. May the Almighty One, who has seen fit to take this little one from their home ever watch over the loved ones, and prepare them for another and better land, "a world not made with hands."

MADE STUDY OF HUMPBACKS.

Liverpool Bachelor Gathered Information Regarding Them from Various Countries.

It was an odd fad enjoyed by a healthy bachelor who died recently in Liverpool. His heir, on opening his desk, was surprised to find in it a manuscript volume of 2,000 pages, which was entirely devoted to a study of humpbacks. Further investigation showed that for several years this man, who was himself stalwart, tall and athletic, had closely studied this curious subject and had visited various countries for that purpose.

According to his manuscript there are more humpbacks in Spain than anywhere else, the number in one small district at the foot of the Sierra Morena amounting to one in every 13 inhabitants. There are also many in the Loire region, in France. From the statistics of all the countries of the globe it appears that there is one humpback in every 1,000 persons, which is equivalent to saying that there are 1,000,000 humpbacks in the entire world. The author of this manuscript says that the average height of each hump is about eight inches.

Rings Under Gloves.

According to a well known London jeweler, people who want their rings to last well should not wear them under gloves. The constant friction of the gloves wears the tiny points that hold the stones in place and the result is that the stones fall out unless they are closely looked after.

For Congress.

We are authorized to announce Hon. D. L. MOORE, of Mercer County, as a candidate for Congress in the Eighth District, to succeed Hon. G. G. Gilbert, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Your support is earnestly solicited.

For Supt. Public Schools.

Mrs Maggie B. Guller is a candidate for Supt. of Public Schools in Garrard Co., subject to the action of the democratic party.

WHALING IN THE ARCTIC.

The Skipper and His Gun and the Precautions in Preparing for a Shot.

The gun, a solid, cumbersome affair of about three-inch caliber, is swung around so that the muzzle points inboard, and then the chamber is swabbed out by the skipper himself, who plainly regards every step of this preliminary work as of the greatest importance. The number of times that this man has missed his whale is so small that he takes pride in his record; and, in addition to his reputation, there is the value of the whale, says a writer in Harper's. A good-sized whale means \$1,200 or so to himself, who, besides being skipper and harpooner, is also owner of the ship and of the trying-out plant ashore. So, after inspecting the harpoon and wadding brought from below, he swabs out the gun a second time, and then takes a pound of quick-burning powder, in a little white cotton bag, and rams it home. A big fistful of rope-ends is stuffed in after the powder, and following the rope-ends a thick rubber disk; after that another batch of rope-ends.

Then ensues a most critical examination of the bomb lance, a heavy piece of cast iron, perhaps 18 inches in length, sharp pointed forward, but enlarged toward the rear, where is enclosed a grenade that is timed to explode a few seconds after it is shot into the whale and deal the mortal wound.

KING TRIED TO HIDE DEED.

Gave Money for the Salvation Army and Refused to Give Donor's Name.

A good story of King Edward's interest in the Salvation Army is told by Walsh Dawson, a supporter of the army's social work, reports the London Social Gazette.

Two years ago Mr. Dawson, who had interested himself in obtaining donations for social work, was on his way one afternoon to call on a certain benevolent peer, when he lost his way in the thick fog. Suddenly he ran against a man near Buckingham palace. Apologizing, he asked the stranger if he could direct him to the house he was looking for. The reply was: "Certainly. I am going there myself. I'll show you the house."

"We chatted away merrily," Mr. Dawson continues. "I told him all about my work and the labors of the Salvation Army. He seemed deeply interested and when I reached the house he said: 'It is dreadful to think that so much suffering exists in this city. I want you to accept a little gift for the poor, suffering ones,' and he placed in my hand ten sovereigns."

"I was astonished and asked the unknown donor what name I should put down in the book. He replied, hurriedly: 'No name at all, please. Simply anonymous.' Suddenly I saw his face distinctly for the first time; it was the prince of Wales, now the king."

BOOK AGENTS RIDE IN CABS.

Some in New York City Make Five to Ten Thousand Dollars a Year with Little Effort.

A New Yorker out of work was attracted by an alluring advertisement from a publishing house. The compensation mentioned was \$30 a week to commence, and more as sales increased. The young man was ambitious and had a good general acquaintance among the sort of men who buy books, reports the Times. When he went for his job he was told that the \$30 a week proposition meant that the firm did not care to employ book agents who had not demonstrated their ability to earn that sum regularly on commission. There was nothing in the nature of a salary guarantee about it. He was told, also, that there were men book agents in New York who made their \$5,000 to \$10,000 a year without much trouble. These agents, he was told, handled only the highest and most expensive publications. They had become acquainted with the individual tastes and peculiarities of rich men, who never questioned the price of a book if it was something they wanted. The trade of these men was entirely in editions de luxe. The agents made appointments with their customers by telephone, either at the homes or offices of the latter, and rode in a hansom cab to keep the appointment. If they did not ride they took a boy from the publishing house to carry the book.

QUIT THE TURKEY BUSINESS.

How Secretary Whitney's Good Intentions Were Spoiled by a Few Impatient Women.

The story of how a few impatient women destroyed a mighty good resolution was recently told by the chief clerk of the navy department. In 1888 Secretary Whitney was delayed in getting out his report, and finally had to push it through with a rush, says the New York Tribune.

"So well was the work done," says Mr. Peters, "and so pleased was the secretary, that two days before Thanksgiving he sent for me and said: 'Mr. Peters, I wish you would go to the market and buy a turkey for every employee of the government printing office.' 'But, Mr. Secretary,' I replied, 'it would require 3,000 turkeys to fill that order.' 'It makes no difference if 5,000 would be needed; buy them.' 'It is impossible,' I said; 'there are not 3,000 unsold turkeys to be had in Washington to-day.' 'Then,' said he, 'ascertain the names of the men who had the principal part in getting out the report, get a turkey for each to-day, and order the necessary number—3,000 or 5,000—and see that they are delivered in time for Christmas.' Under these instructions nine turkeys were sent to the printing office that day. The next morning the secretary received ten letters. Nine were notes of thanks, and the other was a letter from 55 girls in the bindery, who demanded a turkey each because of the part they had taken in getting out the report. As soon as he read that letter the secretary of the navy said: 'Mr. Peters, I have gone out of the turkey business.' Nothing further was necessary. The Christmas distribution was not made, and all on account of the haste of 55 women to get recognition for their services."

WARMED-OVER SPEECHES.

Photograph Cylinders Bought by Senator Hanna Were Not Just the Right Kind.

Senator Hanna bought a phonograph with six cylinders of the "Nancy Brown" and "Bamboo Tree" variety. He was pleased and told a servant to lay in a stock of ten more cylinders, reports the Baltimore Herald.

On the way to the phonograph store the servant passed an auction place where such cylinders, among other things, were advertised at cut rates. He purchased and carted the impressions home, thinking to be commended by his master for his shrewd business ability. Mr. Hanna that evening took up the first cylinder that came to hand, placed it in position and started the wheels to going. The announcement was made by the phonograph that there would follow "the great anti-trust speech of the Hon. William Sulzer, member of congress from New York."

Mr. Hanna cut off the wind of the machine, examined the rest of the apparatus and found that the reason he had gotten the cylinders so cheap was that they were all left over speeches by democratic orators on democratic subjects.

The next day he went to the phonograph store and laid in his own stock of impressions.

FROM PAGE TO PREMIER.

Remarkable and Romantic Career of the Prime Minister of Uganda.

The career of Apolo Kagwa, prime minister of Uganda, who attended the coronation in London, has been remarkable and romantic. When a young man he was a page in the court of King M'esa, and after that ruler's death, rose to the rank of steward under the notorious M'wanga. He always held aloof from the barbarities prevalent at that time, and was in consequence more than once beaten and wounded by M'wanga.

Twenty years ago Apolo came under the influence of the Church Missionary society and has since remained a loyal and staunch friend of the missionaries, often at great personal cost. Though speaking little English, he is no mean scholar in his own tongue and has written three books on the history and folklore of his people.

It was owing to the strong representations of Apolo, says the London Express, that M'wanga in 1890 signed the treaty with Capt. Lugard by which Uganda became a British protectorate. He was head of the forces in 1892,

and ruled the country with conspicuous ability during M'wanga's flight. Had it not been for his influence the chiefs would have rebelled and the country would have had to be reconquered.

Degerming of Corn.

The degerming of corn—that is, removing the yellow germ from the tip of each kernel—is necessary in all corn for export because the germs, when corn is in the hold of a vessel, start a fermentation which spoils the whole cargo. The product each year of this degerming is about 5,000,000 gallons of corn oil, which has heretofore been used to adulterate linseed oil, but now a process for clarifying it and removing its peculiar odor brings it into competition with olive and cottonseed oil.

Watermelon Railroad.

Probably the first railroad ever built in the United States principally to haul watermelons will be a branch which the Burlington is getting ready to construct in southern Missouri this spring. The line will be 50 miles long, and will run through a district which is distinctively the home of the watermelon. Enough melons are said to be produced there to keep one railroad busy during the season hauling them.

Ants Are Strong.

A. R. Miller recently weighed a small ant and a dead grasshopper which it was dragging to its nest. The weight of the grasshopper was found to be 60 times greater than that of the ant. The force exerted by the ant in dragging the grasshopper along the road was therefore proportionately equal to that of a man weighing 150 pounds pulling a load of 4½ tons, or a horse of 1,200 pounds a load of 36 tons.

City of Padlocks.

Irkutsk, in Siberia, is said to be a veritable city of padlocks. There are more padlocks on the shutters and doors of an Irkutsk shop than can be found in an English city of 200,000. There are as many as three padlocks on some shop doors, and every lower story shutter bears from one to five.

Record Shoemaking.

A pair of women's shoes made in Lynn, Mass., to establish a record for rapid shoemaking, required 37 different operations, and the use of 42 machines and 106 pieces. All these parts were assembled and made into a graceful pair of shoes, ready to wear, in 13 minutes.

Queen & Crescent Time Card

(TRAINS AT DANVILLE)

SOUTH BOUND.

Number 1 (daily no stop) 11:45 a.m.
Number 3 (Monday) On Flag 11:25 p.m.
Number 5 (Daily) 11:07 a.m.
Number 9 (daily except Sunday) 7:55 p.m.

NORTH BOUND.

Number 2 (stops when flagged) 4:15 p.m.
Number 4 (Daily) Does Not Stop 11:25 p.m.
Number 6 (Daily) Stop 1:30 p.m.
Number 10 (Daily except Sunday) 6:05 a.m.

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Let It Alone.

Mt. Vernon Signal:—Some telephone subscribers have the mistaken idea that the "receiver" should be lifted from the "hook" during thunder storms. Where such an idea originated is difficult for telephone managers to discover. Leave the phone to care of itself. Don't bother the "Receiver." By observing this injunction, lightning has a better show to reach the earth through the ground wire.

Keep Them Turning.

Newspaper advertising costs you too much when you try it to-day and stop it tomorrow, says the Tampa, Fla. Tribune. So would clerks cost you too much if you hired them for a day now and then. Same with delivery wagons. The wheels of your business must never stop; and the whole machinery is out of gear unless the big advertising wheel is always turning.—Inland Printer.

Whisky vs. Sense.

There was a time when men of sense fooled with whisky, but they are gradually quitting it. No respectable man of good sense can afford to use whisky habitually. Actors were formally addicted to the drink habit. They have quit it to a great extent. It has been discovered that an actor who is temperate and takes care of himself receives a higher salary and more applause than one who, though he may be a better actor, has clouded his mind and burned his brain with fire water. Whisky has been tried at the bar of reason, it has been weighed in the balance and found wanting, it has been condemned by every man of understanding. But it seems to be growing in favor of the mentally unfortunate and degenerate. When a man is down in the world and there is utterly no hope of his ever returning to the paths of respectability, he drinks to drown his disgrace and by so doing succeeds in calling renewed attention to it. If the man who drinks could only be induced to stop he would be surprised at the number of helping hands there would be extended to assist him and at the encouragement sober men would give him.

The holiday number of the Woman's Home Companion contains sixty pages of timely matter. There are unusual illustrations of the Christmas celebrations at Bethlehem, the place of Christ's nativity, many photographs showing "Christmas Scenes in New York City," and an amusing article telling "How Uncle Sam Plays Santa Claus." The fascinating "My Recollections of Abraham Lincoln" are continued. The fiction includes "The Farm of the Dagger," "The Trilemma of Albertine," "The Curtain Party," "The Christmas Ogre," "The Angel and the Noah's Ark." There are scores of excellent suggestions for home made Christmas presents, and the winter fashions are given several pages of space. Amusing Puzzle Page, the Children's Department and "Suggestions for Home Decoration and Home Dressmaking" make up an unusually interesting number. Crowell Pub. Co. pany, Springfield, Ohio; one dollar a year; ten cents a copy.

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Mt. Vernon Signal:—James Maret, who recently met with the various independent telephone companies of seven states before the franchise committee of Cincinnati, says the prospects of an independent exchange in the Queen City is excellent. Among the statistics presented are these:

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107,000	Ohio 46,000
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As True As Gospel.

It is a great blunder in the pursuit of happiness not to know when we have got it—that is, not to be content with a reasonable and possible measure of it.

Common sense in one view is the most uncommon sense. While it is extremely rare in possession, the recognition of it is universal. All men admire it, though few have it.

The source of agreeableness or disagreeableness is in the thought life we need. It is thought that the social climate is made. Think pleasantly and you will act pleasantly.

This world is full of life; each life is a tune; so the world is a great orchestra; and of them all how few tunes are played through! How many ended as they were begun!

The great thing in this world is not so much where we stand as in what direction we are moving; to reach the port of heaven we must sail sometimes with the wind and sometimes against it—but we must sail and drift, nor lie at anchor.

Now the basest thought possible concerning man is, that he has not spiritual nature; and the foolish misunderstanding of him possible is, that he has or should have, no animal nature. For his nature is nobly animal, nobly spiritual—coherently and irrevocably so; neither part of it may, but at its peril, expel despise or defy the other.

The Growth of Prohibition.

Few persons seem aware of the rapid growth of prohibition, particularly in the South. In Texas the Prohibitionists have carried a large majority of the counties and are still making the crusade so vigorous that they are yearly adding to the number.—They have also won all but eight of the seventy five counties in the State of Mississippi. In both States a movement is now made to adopt a constitutional amendment which will provide for the submission to a popular vote of a proposition to prohibit the sale of liquor, and it is believed it will receive a large majority, thereby extending prohibition even in those counties that have held against it.

In Tennessee there are now only a few counties where the sale of liquor is permitted; and should the movement in Texas and Mississippi succeed, it will likely be extended to Tennessee also, if not to Kentucky, but in the latter with less probability of success.

In the Western States the Prohibitionists are also very strong and growing in numbers and power.

Opposition to sumptuary laws has long been a tenet of the Democratic party; but unless the sentiment of the party on this subject has undergone a great change, how can we account for the rapid growth of prohibition in such strong Democratic States as Texas, Mississippi and Tennessee, to say nothing of Kentucky.—Courier-Journal.

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It is admirably suited for training; but as it is gotten out on heavy, dully enameled cardboard, it will prove an ornament to any home without framing. Six cents in postage sent to L. J. Irwin, G. P. A. of the popular Henderson Route, at Louisville, Ky., will bring this beautiful picture to your home. 12-11-tf.

It has been declared in some circles that unless leading cattle can be bought on a \$3 basis there will not be a nominal number of young cattle put into feed lots this fall, says the Prairie Farmer. Between recent cattle history and corn crop prospects, the American steer is not a quantity in farming and feeding sections at present, and with the country in a selling humor there is every prospect that even a \$3 basis for a good class of feeding steers will not stir up much of a demand from the small feeders. The immediate past always stands out as the strongest factor guiding the actions of a large number of people. This is specially true if the results have been such as exert a marked influence for good or ill. Many doubtless, have received such a bad scare that they will not get over it until every body else gets ready to feed again, and they will get another experience of high feeders and low fat steers. Those who keep right at it will make some profit in the intervening years. As a rule we think it a wise plan to grow the steers. Raise good ones and keep them going right along from the time they are little calves and market them at an early age. Some years the price received will be higher and some years lower, but the average return for such cattle will be a very fair return for the food consumed and labor expended in their production.

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